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Vocabulary Review - Unit 13

concur
abject

discourse
succor

incur
conglomeration

precursor
conjecture

Matching

Match each definition with a word.

1. _____ a. Reasoning that involves the formation of conclusions from incomplete evidence.
b. A message expressing an opinion based on incomplete evidence.
2. _____ a. An indication of the approach of something or someone.
b. A person who goes before or announces the coming of another.
3. _____ a. Of the most contemptible kind.
b. Showing humiliation or submissiveness.
4. _____ a. Happen simultaneously.
b. Be in accord; be in agreement.
5. _____ a. Assistance in time of difficulty.
b. Help in a difficult situation.
6. _____ Make oneself subject to; bring upon oneself; become liable to.
7. _____ a. A collection of unrelated things.
b. a collection or mixture of different things
8. _____ a. To consider or examine in speech or writing.
b. An extended communication (often interactive) dealing with some particular topic.

Multiple Choice

Select the definition that most nearly defines the given word.

9. _____ **precursor**
A. An indication of the approach of something or someone.
B. Of the most contemptible kind.
C. Be in accord; be in agreement.
D. Make oneself subject to; bring upon oneself; become liable to.
10. _____ **conglomeration**
A. An extended communication (often interactive) dealing with some particular topic.
B. A message expressing an opinion based on incomplete evidence.
C. Help in a difficult situation.
D. a collection or mixture of different things
11. _____ **abject**
A. Be in accord; be in agreement.
B. Showing humiliation or submissiveness.
C. A person who goes before or announces the coming of another.
D. To consider or examine in speech or writing.

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12. _____ **succor**
A. Reasoning that involves the formation of conclusions from incomplete evidence.
B. Make oneself subject to; bring upon oneself; become liable to.
C. An indication of the approach of something or someone.
D. Assistance in time of difficulty.
13. _____ **concur**
A. Be in accord; be in agreement.
B. a collection or mixture of different things
C. Showing humiliation or submissiveness.
D. Assistance in time of difficulty.
14. _____ **conjecture**
A. A person who goes before or announces the coming of another.
B. Make oneself subject to; bring upon oneself; become liable to.
C. Reasoning that involves the formation of conclusions from incomplete evidence.
D. Be in accord; be in agreement.
15. _____ **discourse**
A. Reasoning that involves the formation of conclusions from incomplete evidence.
B. Of the most contemptible kind.
C. An extended communication (often interactive) dealing with some particular topic.
D. a collection or mixture of different things
16. _____ **incur**
A. Make oneself subject to; bring upon oneself; become liable to.
B. Happen simultaneously.
C. Reasoning that involves the formation of conclusions from incomplete evidence.
D. Of the most contemptible kind.

Complete the Sentence

Write the word that best completes each of the following sentences.

17. _____ The boys carried on a long ____ about the baseball game and the umpire's bad calls.
18. _____ Sam joined the Peace Corps in order to provide ____ to the people of the world who suffer many trials and tribulations in their daily lives.
19. _____ If you don't pay your bills on time, you will ____ late fees.
20. _____ Though Francesca grew up in ____ poverty, she excelled in school and won a full scholarship to the university of her choice.
21. _____ Arrogant people discount any ideas that don't ____ with their own.
22. _____ The melting snow was a ____ of spring.
23. _____ The number of galaxies in the universe is still a matter of ____.
24. _____ At the flea market, we sifted through a ____ of tools, lamps, jewelry and clothing.

Answer Key

1. conjecture
2. precursor
3. abject
4. concur
5. succor
6. incur
7. conglomeration
8. discourse

9. A
10. D
11. B
12. D
13. A
14. C
15. C
16. A

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